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Mary Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications & Energy
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
One South Station, 2nd Floor
Boston, MA 02110

Re: D.T.E. 03-60 – Implementation of Triennial Review Order

Dear Ms. Cottrell:

On March 1 and March 5, 2004, AT&T filed its Seventh and Eighth Sets of Information Requests on Verizon Massachusetts (“Verizon MA”). However, on March 4, 2004, the Hearing Officer issued a Memorandum temporarily staying the existing procedural schedule for three weeks in order for the Department to consider Verizon MA’s Motion for Stay. Given this action, Verizon MA does not believe it is under any obligation to respond to AT&T’s discovery until the Department determines the future course of this proceeding and issues a new procedural schedule.

Very truly yours,

/s/Bruce P. Beausejour

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